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Region VI – Western Visayas
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF CAPIZ

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In compliance with DepEd Order (DO) No. 8, s. 2013
This advisory is issued not for endorsement per DO 28, s. 2001, but only for the information of DepEd Capiz officials, personnel/staff, as well as the concerned public.
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Attached is the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Capiz Council Memorandum No. 17, s. 2026 titled **2026 International Coastal Clean-up and School Clean-up Day**.

Participation to this activity is voluntary and subject to compliance with DepEd Order No. 009, s. 2026 titled **Implementation of the Three-Term School Calendar in Basic Education**, DepEd Order 09, s. 2005 titled **Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith**, DepEd Order No. 008, s. 2023 titled **Participation of Teachers in Volunteer Work and Extra Curricular Activities**. The details and overview of this program are attached for reference.

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COUNCIL MEMORANDUM
No. 19 s. 2026

TO: District Scout Commissioners (PSDS)
Principals, Head Teachers, TICs and OICs of Secondary (Public & Private)
Institutional Representatives
Outfit Advisors and Assistants

SUBJECT: 2026 INTERNATIONAL COASTAL CLEAN-UP & SCHOOL CLEAN-UP DAY

1. Attached is the National Office Memorandum No. 98 s. 2026 dated 04 September 2026, which pertains to the conduct of the 2026 International Coastal Clean-up Drive & School Clean-up Day.

2. For more information and other details, please refer to BSP National Office Memorandum No. 98, s.2026.

3. DepEd personnel, teaching and non-teaching/Scout Leaders who will participate in this scouting event will be granted service credit or Compensatory Time Off (CTO) as per Civil Service Commission (CSC) and Department of Budget and Management (DBM) Joint Circular No. 02, s. 2004 on Non-Teaching Monetary Remuneration for Overtime Service Rendered and DECS Order Memorandum 142, Series of 1997 and enclosed in DO No. 13, 2024-Section V A.1.b, 8. c.) DepEd Order No. 13, 2024.

4. ***Participation is purely voluntary.***

5. For information, guidance, and wide dissemination.

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BOY SCOUTS OF THE PHILIPPINES OFFICIAL RELEASE CENTRAL RECORDS UNIT ERMITA, MANILA

NATIONAL OFFICE MEMORANDUM
No 98 series of 2026

TO : REGIONAL YOUTH DEVELOPMENT OFFICERS
COUNCIL SCOUT EXECUTIVES/ OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE
ALL CONCERNED

SUBJECT : CONDUCT OF 2026 COASTAL CLEANUP DRIVE

1. **Presidential Proclamation No. 470 series of 2003,** declared the **third (3rd) Saturday of September of each year** as the **"International Coastal Clean-Up Day".** For 2026, the observance will be on **Saturday, 19 September 2026.**

2. The **International Coastal Cleanup (ICC)** is a global initiative that mobilizes communities to remove trash and debris from beaches, waterways and other water bodies; identify the sources of the litter; promote responsible waste management; encourage behavioral change; and raise public awareness of the impact of marine debris on the environment.

3. In support of this global environment initiative and in line with the commitment of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines to environmental stewardship and responsible citizenship, all Regional Coordination Offices and Local Councils are hereby directed to organize and conduct a coastal clean-up activity within their respective jurisdictions on or around 19 September 2026. The activity may include the collection and proper disposal of waters and debris from beaches, rivers, waterways, campsites, schools, communities, public places, and other suitable areas, identified by the concerned Regional Coordination Office or Local Councils.

4. In organizing and conducting the activity, all concerned shall observe the following:

    a. Appropriate coordination is undertaken with relevant local government units, schools, communities, partner organizations, and other stakeholders, as applicable;
    b. Proper waste segregation, handling, and disposal procedures are observed;
    c. Appropriate safety measures and necessary protective equipment are provided to all participants;
    d. All activities strictly comply with the BSP Safeguarding Policy, particularly measures for the protection and well-being of children and young people, as well as all other applicable BSP Rules, Policies and Guidelines; and
    e. The activity promotes not only the cleanup and waste collection, but also environmental awareness, responsible citizenship, and sustained community action for the protection of our waterways and natural resources.

5. For documentation and monitoring purposes, all participating RCOs and LCs shall submit an activity report to the National Office through the QR provided in this memorandum. The report shall include relevant activity details, number of

participants, partner organizations, and high-quality photographs and/or videos showing the conduct and impact of the activity.

6. Selected photographs and videos submitted may be featured on the official BSP Social Media Platforms and other communication channels. Accordingly, all participants are encouraged to use the following hashtags in their social media posts: #2026InternationalCoastalCleanup #ScoutsPH #ScoutsProtectOurOceans #ScoutsActForTheCoast

7. For coordination, submission, related concerns, and other matters regarding the conduct of the activity, you may coordinate with the Public Relations Unit through prco@scouts.gov.ph.

8. For information, guidance and wide dissemination.

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